I love to go running early in the morning.
The calm ... morning sea...

SCANLATION BY RPAPO

DID YOU MAKE THE CUT?
AH, SOMEHOW.
LUCKY YOU.
THEN YOU'RE OFF THE HOOK FOR EXAM STUDYING?
I'VE GOT LOTS OF STUDY TO DO OVER SUMMER BREAK.
WHATEVER
THOUGH I CAN'T GO EASY ON MY PREPARATIONS EITHER.

like your studies not going well
IS SOMETHING BOTHERING YOU?
HM?
AH? NO, JUST LITTLE...
?
HMM
IF YOU WANT TO ASK QUESTIONS, COME ON OVER ANY TIME, OKAY?
CRASH!
SWISH
OH, THANK YOU!
BUN YAA A!!
twitch!
twitch!

GRR ~
SFX: ALL IN A SHAMBLES
THAT TABBY-CAT~
HE ALWAYS PICKS FIGHTS WHEN I COME TO PICK UP GIN-CHAN~
NEXT TIME THERE'S NO WAY HE'S SPOTTING ME~!!
...WELL, IT'S NOT LIKE HE'S BEATEN YOU.

What's this?
WHAT A COINCI-DENCE, SAKI-CHAN.
EH?

MEETING UP WITH FRIENDS, EH~?
MOTHER, WHAT'RE YOU DOING?
YES, BUT

GEH!!
MOTH-ER!!
HEAD-ING HOME NOW~?

WHAT'S THIS? ARE YOU, PERHAPS, GINNOSUKE-KUN?
And next to you is Anzu-chan?
UH, YES.
I AM MIDOU GINNOSUKE.
Nice to meet you
MO... MOTHER!!
DON'T GO SAYING THINGS YOU SHOULD NOT!!
Glare!
Nod!
UMM, GINNOSUKE...
YES?

?
ARE YOU A PERSON ALL RIGHT WITH SMALL BREASTS?
HUH?
MOTH-ER!!

... SORRY.
UU .. I SIMPLY THOUGHT THAT WAS THE GINNOSUKE-KUN YOU'RE ALWAYS TALKING ABOUT...
DON'T 'SIMPLY THINK'!!
AND SINCE WHEN AM I ALWAYS TALKING ABOUT HIM!?
PEFFIZ!!
SO, WHEN WILL YOU CONFESS TO HIM?
Jeez...
PINCH!
OW... THAT HURTS!
YOU'VE TORN MAMA'S CHEEKS.
YOU. REAP. WHAT. YOU. SOW!!

My cheeks hurt...
YOU SEE,
MIDOU IS AN IMPORTANT FRIEND.
HE'S NOTHING MORE,
AND NOTHING LESS.
YOU'RE A COWARD ~
MOTHER, YOU ARE REALLY STUBBORN!!

JEEZ, MOTH-ER
TALKING ABOUT THINGS LIKE THAT RIGHT OFF THE BAT!!
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, CALLING ME A COWARD!!
WHEN I REMEMBER IT, I GET MAD AGAIN
Midou is a friend.
I...
should be thinking that way.
HE'S SERI-OUS... AND NICE...
MUTTER MUTTER
THOUGH HE SEEMS LIKE A NICE FAMILY GUY,

Reality is hard.
If this were a movie, or a novel,
it would probably be easy to talk about, but...
Gasp
For one thing, I don't even know
my own feelings for sure.
For example...
Wah

GRAB!
The hero rescues the
heroine when she gets in trouble.

?
AH...
IS SOMETHING BOTHERING YOU?
YOU'RE UNUSUALLY SPACED OUT
THAT'S DANGER-OUS ..

Hayase
SFX SLIP
OY, HAYASE, IF YOU STEP TOO FAR BACK...
UH
IS THAT... SO?
NOTHING AT ALL!!
NO, IT'S NOTHING.

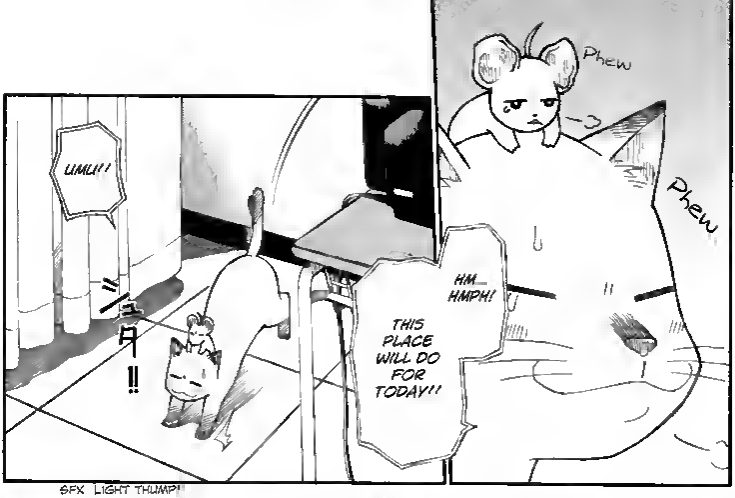
SFX: THUMP!!

SFX: ROLL, ROLL...

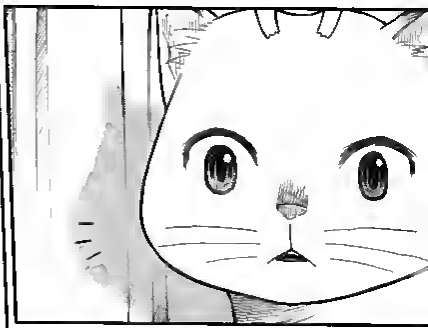
SFX: DOOR SLIDING OPEN

I DON'T THINK I CAN DO THAT.
I'LL BE OKAY NOW.
MIDOU, YOU GO TO CLASS.
THANKS FOR CARRYING ME.
SFX: SLIDE SHUT, FOOTSTEPS
I'VE GOT TO GO FIND THE TEACHER,
Because your foot's hurting
SO STAY HERE QUIET, WON'T YOU?
AH...
YEAH, SORRY.
WHAT AM I DOING ~!?
Uwaaaah

BUN YAA A!!
I don't even know myself



SFX: LIGHT THUMP!



YOU'VE SPRAINED YOUR ANKLE?
EH? ARE YOU OKAY?
YES, PROBABLY.
AH, UMM...
IT JUST GOT HURT A LITTLE BIT.
....
WHAT'S A 'SPRAIN'?
THAT SO~? YOU GOT TO BE CAREFUL, EH?
YES, REALLY ...
scattie
FACIAL TISSUES

....
ANZU-SAN,
SFX: POP, POP, POP

WEREN'T YOU SCARED?
WHEN YOU SUDDENLY CHANGED FROM CAT TO HUMAN...?

THE VARIOUS THINGS...
THAT YOU'VE SEEN IN THE WORLD SO FAR...
THINGS THAT HAVE CHANGED...
ALL OF THEM ?

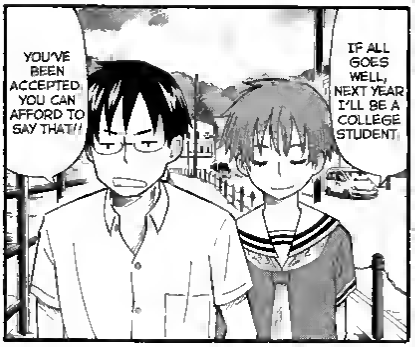
BUT THE THINGS THAT HAVE COME FROM MY BECOMING GIN-CHAN'S OLDER SISTER...
HAVE ALL BEEN HAPPY THINGS!

Year 3
Class A

I SUPPOSE YOUR FOOT STILL HURTS?
SHALL I WALK YOU HOME?
!
EVEN I, WELL... IT LOOKS LIKE I'M TO BLAME... AND IT LOOKS LIKE NOT...
NO, I completely reaped what I sowed.

AL-
THOUGH
. .
EVERY
DAY IS
SO
HOT...

THAT
...
IS
BECAUSE
IT'S
SUMMER,
ISN'T IT?
YEAH, IT
IS, BUT
EVEN
SO..



In case of earth-quake, be alert for tsuna-mis.
OUR HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES WERE ALL LAST SUMMER,
SO HOW ABOUT IF WE DID SOME-THING NEW FOR A CHANGE?
HMM~ ANYWAY, I PROBABLY WON'T DO ANYTHING BUT STUDY FOR EXAMS.

MANY THINGS... ARE PROBABLY GOING TO CHANGE, DON'T YOU THINK...?

Midou is an important friend.

But even so,

SFX: THROB!
~~ NGH!!
But even so, I wonder when.

When I am by your side,
I get to hear the quiet sounds of the waves.
DOES YOUR FOOT HURT?
NO. I'M FINE.
Giggle

THAT IS WHAT YOU ARE.
Huh?
LIKE THE CALM SEA OF THE MORNING.
?
WHAT'S THAT ABOUT?
TO BE CONTINUED IN VOLUME 5.

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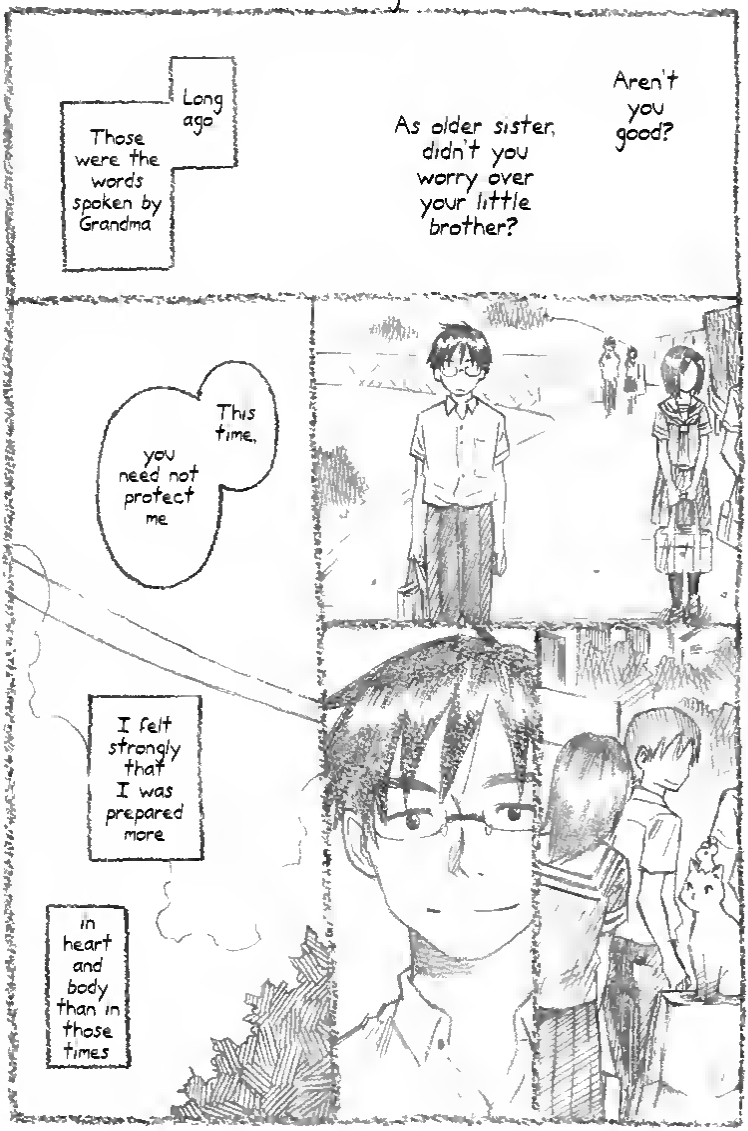
Long ago
Those were the words spoken by Grandma
As older sister, didn't you worry over your little brother?
Aren't you good?
This time, you need not protect me
I felt strongly that I was prepared more
in heart and body than in those times

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